

**Vision directly
affects how a
child learns.**

The Canadian Association of
Optometrists recommends the
following specific guidelines:



- ✓ Children should visit the optometrist
for the first time between six and nine
months of age
- ✓ Again between two and five years of age

Unfortunately, Lakeshore School Division will
not be completing Vision screening.

**80% of a child's
learning is based
on vision.**

We encourage all parents to take their children to an optometrist for a vision
assessment. Manitoba Health insures basic optometric eye exams for children
ages 0-18 years every 2 calendar years, starting with odd years.

If you child requires glasses and they are lost or broken, please consider
replacing and repairing them quickly. It is so important for their learning!

**One in five children entering school has a
vision disorder.**

*To find an optometrist near you call the Manitoba Association of
Optometrists at 204-943-9811.*

Information for this poster is from <https://www.mb-opto.ca/>.
Please visit the website for more even more information on healthy eyes.